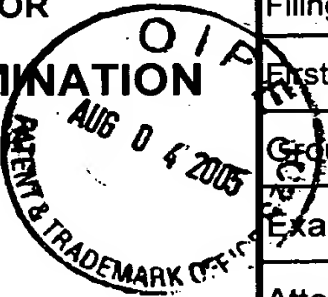


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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) 	Application Number	09/671,106
	Filing Date	September 28, 2000
	First Named Inventor	Randal K. BUDDINGTON
	Group Art Unit	1618
	Examiner Name	Simon Oh
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This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed on _____ (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief filed on _____.
- iii. ☐ Other: _____.
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

2. Miscellaneous

Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c)

- a. ☐ for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required).
- b. ☒ Other Extension of Time (One-Month); Cited Documents (3).

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1442.
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e).
- ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17).
- iii. ☐ Other _____.
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$ 455.00 enclosed.

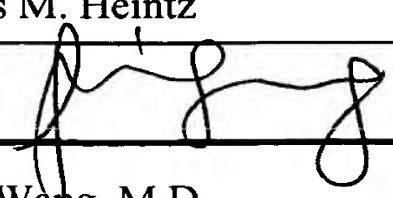
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